Patent 266/202

. JAN 15 2002 IN THE UNITED STATES PATI	ENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Impeline Application of:) Group Art Unit: 2151 Technology 2 2 2002
Ann Rhee et al.) Group Art Unit: 2151 Chhology Cantar 2100) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
Serial No.: 09/967,068))
Filed: September 27, 2001))
For: METHODS FOR SELECTIVELY QUIESCING A COMPUTER SYSTEM))

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the items identified in this Information Disclosure Statement ("IDS") are brought to the attention of the Office. The items are listed on the attached form PTO-1449 and copies are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

The items identified in this IDS may or may not be "material" pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.56. The submission thereof by Applicant is not to be construed as an admission that any such patent, publication or other information referred to therein is material or considered to be material (37 CFR § 1.97(h)), or even qualifies as "prior art" under 35 USC § 102 with respect to this invention unless specifically designated by Applicant as such.

, , ,	he mailing of a first Office action on the merits; or (4) before the mailing of a first ing a request for continued examination under § 1.114. Thus, no fee is required.			
that the	ever, if the undersigned is in error in this regard, Applicant respectfully requests the Office consider this IDS as filed under 37 CFR § 1.97(c), if applicable, and ge the fee due under 37 CFR §1.17(p) to the deposit account referenced below.			
that the	ever, if the undersigned is in error in this regard, Applicant respectfully requests he Office consider this IDS as filed under 37 CFR § 1.97(c), if applicable, and a ment under 37 CFR § 1.97(e) is included below, thus no fee is required.			
This IDS is being submitted under 37 CFR § 1.97(c), that is after mailing of a first Office action on the merits, but before a Final Action under 37 CFR § 1.113 or a Notice of Allowance under 37 CFR § 1.311.				
	ee due under 37 CFR § 1.17(p) is submitted herewith.			
event then a to be	tement under 37 CFR § 1.97(e) is included below, thus no fee is required. In the that this IDS is not received before a Final Action or a Notice of Allowance, Applicant respectfully requests that the Office consider the filing of these papers submitted under 37 CFR § 1.97(d) and charge the fee due under 37 CFR 7(p) to the deposit account below.			
§ 1.113 or a Notice o	eing submitted under 37 CFR § 1.97(d), that is after a Final Action under 37 CFR f Allowance under 37 CFR § 1.311, but before payment of the issue fee. A EFR § 1.97(e) is included below. The fee due under 37 CFR § 1.17(p) is submitted			
	STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.97(e):			
Each item con	ntained in this IDS was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office			
in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this IDS.				
No item conta	No item contained in this IDS was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a			
counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the person signing this statement after making				
reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in this IDS was known to any individual designated				
in 37 CFR § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this IDS.				

PAYMENT AND/OR AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE FEES:

	A check in the amount of is enclosed for the above fee(s).						
	Please charge to Deposit Account No. 12-2475 for the above fee(s).						
The C	ommissioner is authorized to charge any	refees required by the filing of these papers, and to cr	redi				
any ov	verpayment to Lyon & Lyon's Deposit A	Account No. 12-2475.					
Dated:	112/2002	Respectfully submitted, LYON & LYON LLP By: Donald Daybell No. P-50,877					

22249

LYON & LYON LLP 633 W. Fifth Street, Suite 4700 Los Angeles, CA 90071

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

HIFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

or form 1449A/PTO

Substitute

Complete if Known

Application Number 09/967,068

Filing Date September 27, 2001

First Named Inventor Ann Rhee et al.

Group Art Unit 2151

Examiner Name Not Yet Assigned

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 1 of 1 Attorney Docket Number 266/202

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS Name of Patentee or Applicant of Document Number Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Examiner Cite No.1 Cited Document Passages or Relevant Figures Appear Initials Number - Kind Code2 (if known) US-5,842,226 11/24/98 Barton et al. AA 12/14/1999 Jones et al. ΑB US-6,003,061 AC US-6,021,508 02//1/2000 Schmuck et al. 07/4/2000 Huberman et al. AD US-6,085,216 US-6,223,206B1 04/24/2001 Reznak ΑE

OTHER PRIOR ART NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initials *	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.		
	AF	LOGAN G. HARBAUGH, Balancing The Load, TechWeb, January 25, 1999, pages 1-14 http://www.internetweek.com/reviews/rev012599.htm		
	AG	Sitara Networks; QoS Glossory, July 2, 2001, pgs. 1-18, http://www.sitaranetworks.com/what_is_qos_glossary.cfm		
			ļ	
			ļ	
		·		
		·		

Examiner Signature	Date Considered	

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.